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In re Application of Zimmer, et al.

Application No. 10/807,668

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Attorney Docket No. INTEL/18683

For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR

INITIALIZING A MEMORY

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition, filed March 6, 2007 (certificate of mailing date March 1, 2007), under 37 CFR 1.137(b) to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely submit a reply within three (3) months of the mailing of the August 23, 2006 non-final Office action. No response being received and no proper extensions of time being obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a), this application became abandoned on November 24, 2006.

Applicants have submitted an amendment in reply to the August 23, 2006 non-final Office action, an acceptable statement of the unintentional nature of the delay in responding to the August 23, 2006 non-final Office action, and the \$1,500.00 petition fee.

All of the requirements under 37 CFR 1.137(b) being met, the petition is granted.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136, an extension of time must be filed prior to the expiration of the maximum period obtainable for reply to avoid abandonment. Accordingly, since the \$1020.00 extension of time filed with the petition on March 6, 2007 (certificate of mailing date March 1, 2007) was submitted subsequent to the expiration of the maximum period obtainable for reply, this fee is unnecessary and will be credited to petitioners' deposit account.

After the mailing of this decision, the application will be returned to Technology Center AU 2115 for consideration of the amendment filed on March 6, 2007 (certificate of mailing date March 1, 2007).

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